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SUBJECT: MAJOR PROJECT: ,CENTRO, STEAM POWER PLANT,

--- CADAFE

REF: (A) CARACAS 5339

1. BRO;N AND ROOT, A MAJOR U.S. DESIGN-CONSTRUCTOR,
HOUSTON, TEXAS, HAS CONTACTED COMMERCE MEPD AND EXPRESSED
INTEREST IN PURSUING THE 2000 MW CENTRO STEAM POWER PLANT
PROJECT OPPORTUNITY LOCATED NEAR PUERTO CABELLO AS
REPORTED IN REFTEL.

2. THEE IS SOME CONFUSION WHETHER THIS PROJECT HAS BEEN
BID. WE HAVE RECEIVED INDUSTRY INFORMATION INDICATING THAT
CADAFE HAS IN OPERATION A GAS TURBINE PLANT (3X50 MW)
NAMED "CENTRO". ALSO, THIS SAME INFORMATION IDENTIFIES
A PLANNED 2000 MW STEAM OR COMBINED CYCLE PLANT BY THE
NAME ,CENTRAL".

3. WE WOULD APPRECIATE IF EMBASSY WOULD CLARIFY THE STATUS
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OF THE 2000 MW PROJECT, SPECIFICALLY, WHETHER U.S. FIRMS

(DESIGN, CONSTRUCTION, AND POWER GENERATION EQUIPMENT)
CAN STILL PARTICIPATE IN THE BIDDING. ROBINSON

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